

SKETCHING LIKE AN ARCHITECT

Show “Draw like an Architect - Essential Tips” : Video Link- <https://youtu.be/24rnfO8s0hU> (~10 minutes)

Review with class highlights from the video. (~10 minutes)

1. Line weights
 - a. Dark, medium and light
 - b. Dark items and more important, thin less important or supporting information. Med line weights are the middle ground.
 - c. Can use 3 different leads, types of pens, or pressure.
 - d. Thicker or double lines, or dashed or dotted lines vary the line weights
2. Pull don't push pencil
3. Move arm in fluid motion
4. A little waver in line.
5. Long lines, rather than many short
6. Overlap corners
7. Trace paper
8. Start light lines first, then build up medium lines, then darken.
9. Line weights apply in CAD too.
10. Shade and shadow
11. Scale and Entourage
12. Neat idea- light grey trees in the background, and a light grey person for scale in the CAD drawing

Show the class example of architectural sketches from on-line images. Google “**Architectural Sketches**” and look at images. Make note of varying levels of detail, sketchy nature, line weights, shade and shadow, perspective. (~ 10 minutes)

Do “X-Minute Sketching Practice” (~35 minutes)